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SUBJECT: AFTERMATH OF GENERAL STRIKE IN IZMIR, JUNE 16, 1975

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1. AFTER INTERROGATION 118 PERSONS ALLEGEDLY IN VIOLATION OF LAW 275 PROHIBITING STRIKES IN PUBLIC UTILITIES, IZMIR PUBLIC PROSECUTOR HAS DECIDED TO CHARGE SIX PERSONS, ONE EACH FROM FIVE DIFFERENT UNIONS AND THE IZMIR REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE CONFEDERATION OF TURKISH TRADE UNIONS (TURK-IS). TRIAL SCHEDULED TO OPEN IN IZMIR ON JULY 16.

2. SOME 36 LEGAL OFFICERS OF TURK-IS AFFILIATED UNIONS MET IN ANKARA TO DEVISE LEGAL STRATEGY. TURK-IS WILL SEEK TO DENY GENERAL STRIKE WAS ACTUALLY A STRIKE BUT RATHER A DEMARCHE OF SORTS. SIX DEFENDANTS REPORTEDLY WILL BE REPRESENTED BY 40 ATTORNEYS AND SOME 23 NATIONAL TRADE UNION PRESIDENTS OR THEIR SENIOR REPRESENTATIVES.
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